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TOPIC Occupation of BERNAU and Emergency Landing Field ALBERTSHOF

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REMARKS

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1. It was learned on 15 June 1949 that an air force unit of about one company has been stationed in BERNAU (N 53/Z 96) since late May 1949. The unit was quartered in a former motor vehicle repair shop on Berliner Strasse.*

2. Various fields northeast of BERNAU on the road to ALBERTSHOF (N 53/V 07) were off limits. The level arable land had not been cultivated for one year. No measures indicating building projects or the like were observed.

* Comment: This is the first information on an air force unit stationed in BERNAU. This unit is assumed to be assigned to the III Bn, Corps.

Comment: The ALBERTSHOF airfield has been newly constructed in June 1949. There are no buildings. The airfield is assumed to be used as an emergency or training airfield. So far, no air unit has been observed being stationed there.

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